



**Michael Anthony Adams** ✓

@MichaelAdams317



DP [@vergaracam](#) was rolling when Minneapolis police and state troopers stormed the gas station we were spending time. Here's the incident above from a different angle:



From **Roberto Daza** ✓

4:18 PM · May 31, 2020 · [Twitter for iPhone](#)

**800** Retweets **1K** Likes



Twitter interface showing a tweet by Ryan Raiche (@ryanraiche) and replies.

**Tweet by Ryan Raiche (@ryanraiche):** Myself, photographer, and producer just made it back to the car. We were with a group of media and thought we were in a safe spot. We kept saying we're media. Police tear gassed and pepper sprayed the entire group. Everyone ran. It was insane. It happened so fast.

**Replies:**

- James E. Saunders, II (@thinkkimthink):** Replying to @ryanraiche and @thinkkimthink. They appear to shooting at the press. They fired tear gas and rubber bullets at @MSNBC's Ali Velshi hitting him in the leg. Morgan Chesky also of @MSNBC, had to tell the advancing, aggressive police, "Press, press!!" A Louisville TV crew was fired up with pepper balls, on live tv.
- Partisan Rock:** Let's not forget, yesterday morning at 5:13 AM CST; a @CNN reporter was arrested LIVE along with most of his crew. Mind you, there was no protesting going on at the time and...

The tweet and replies are displayed on a mobile device screen, with a large image of a man's face (likely the subject of the protest) visible in the background.



**Ryan Raiche**   
@ryanraiche



To be clear, our crew is ok. Other than vomiting and skin burning. We are in our station vehicle, but no one is being allowed through anywhere.

10:02 PM · May 30, 2020 · [Twitter for iPhone](#)

**40** Retweets   **195** Likes





**Ryan Raiche** ✓  
@ryanraiche



My skin is still burning from the pepper spray, but we made it back to the station, changed our clothes, and finally re-racked the video from our encounter with police.

Here's the full version, as I recounted on TV early this morning.



Ryan Raiche on Facebook Watch

While out covering the protests tonight in Minneapolis, myself, my photographer, and producer got caught in the middle. We...

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4:14 AM · May 31, 2020 · [Twitter Web App](#)

**36** Retweets **44** Likes



Twitter interface showing a tweet by Zach D Roberts (@zdroberts) and its replies.

**Twitter Post:**

I just got pepper sprayed and they're currently shooting rubber bullets the size of a child's fist at the crowd.  
[#Minneapolisprotests](#)  
[#Minneapolis](#)

7:29 PM · May 29, 2020 from Lake Street/Midtown LRT Station · Twitter for Android

947 Retweets 2.3K Likes

**Replies:**

**Zach D Roberts** @ · May 29  
 Replying to @zdroberts  
 One of the rubber bullets hit a woman in the chest another one just missed my head and another one hit a guy right on his hip a bruise is already forming. (Yes I'm wearing my bumpcap.)

**Zach D Roberts** @ · May 29  
 I couldn't see for about a full 5 minutes that was when they were shooting rubber bullets into the crowd I had several protesters here shield me and then walk me to safety and then hand me water.

**Zach D Roberts** @ · May 29  
 By the way if the very kind person who thankfully picked up my glasses from getting stampeded on when everyone started running sees this





**Zach D Roberts** ✓

@zdroberts



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7:37 PM · May 29, 2020 from [Minneapolis, MN](#) · [Twitter for Android](#)

**53** Retweets   **330** Likes



Twitter interface showing a tweet by Zach D Roberts (@zdroberts) and replies.

**Twitter Header:** Zach D Roberts on Twitter: "I just..." | Ed Ou (@edouphoto) / Twitter | Linda Tirado (@KillerMartinis) / T

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**Twitter Post:**

**Profile:** Zach D Roberts (@zdroberts)

**Text:** I just got tear gassed and ricochet hit by a rubber bullet on my leg. These cops are fucking monsters.  
[#JusticeForGeorge](#)  
[#Minneapolisprotests](#)  
[#policeriot.](#)

**Metadata:** 8:22 PM · May 29, 2020 from Minneapolis, MN · Twitter for Android

**Engagement:** 470 Retweets 1.4K Likes

**Replies:**

- Robin Marty** (@r...) · May 29  
 Replying to @zdroberts  
 where are you right now?  
 1 reply
- Robin Marty** (@r...) · May 29  
 never mind I assume Lake and Hiawathaish  
 1 reply
- Jake Antifascist Q...** · May 29  
 Replying to @zdroberts and @IdentifyDixie  
 After last night they are in revenge mode all over the country.  
 1 reply 2 retweets 11 likes
- Mommy Done Los...** · May 29  
 Yep. Even if half of the forces believe thr firing and arrested were justified, that still leaves 50% out there with a

**Background Image:** A man with a beard and a black hat, looking directly at the camera, with a city street in the background.

Zach D Roberts on Twitter: "Here's the confrontation that caused me and several protestors to get hit with pepper spray in #Minneapolis." Ed Ou (@edouphoto) / Twitter Linda Tirado (@KillerMartinis) / T x +

twitter.com/zdroberts/status/1266782026474143746

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**Zach D Roberts** ✓  
@zdroberts

Here's the confrontation that caused me and several protestors to get hit with pepper spray in #Minneapolis.

Note that the police have nothing but room to back up. They were not cornered. They just responded to angry yelling with violence. The pepperspray continued after I ran.

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Replying to @zdroberts

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**Zach D Roberts** ✓  
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**Andrew Kimmel** ✓  
@andrewkimmel



Minneapolis Police slashed every tire on my rental car,  
as well as every tire of every car in this parking lot.



1:57 AM · May 31, 2020 · [Twitter for iPhone](#)

**21K** Retweets **35.6K** Likes

